

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY	DOCKET NOS. RPU-02-3 RPU-02-8
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ORDER SCHEDULING ADDITIONAL CONSUMER COMMENT HEARING

(Issued October 2, 2002)

Pursuant to 199 IAC 7.7(16), the Utilities Board (Board) has held or scheduled 11 consumer comment hearings in Docket Nos. RPU-02-3 and RPU-02-8 to provide an opportunity for Interstate Power and Light Company's (IPL) customers to express their views regarding the pending electric rate cases, as well as the general quality of service provided by IPL. Because the facility available in Ottumwa for the consumer comment hearing on September 25, 2002, was inadequate to accommodate the number of persons wishing to attend the hearing, the Board will schedule an additional hearing in Ottumwa. The Board reminds persons attending the consumer comment hearing that specific service complaints cannot be addressed at the consumer comment hearing. Persons with specific service complaints must follow the procedures set forth in 199 IAC 6.2.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

A consumer comment hearing shall be held for the purpose of receiving public comments from the general public on Tuesday, October 8, 2002, beginning at 7 p.m.

at the Evans Middle School Auditorium, 812 Chester Avenue, Ottumwa, Iowa.

Persons with disabilities requiring assistive services or devices to observe or participate should contact the Utilities Board at (515) 281-5256 in advance of the appropriate scheduled date to request that appropriate arrangements be made.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 2nd day of October, 2002.